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## JACKSON DENOUNCED

Argument in the Pearl Bryan Murder Trial.

### NELSON SCORED THE PRISONER.

His Opening Speech Occupied Nearly the Entire Day—Judge Helm's Instructions to the Jury Embraces Eighteen Separate Items, All of Which Are Objected to by the Defense.

CINCINNATI, May 12.—Argument in the Scott Jackson murder trial was begun yesterday. At the opening of court Judge Helm read his instructions to the jury. As finally agreed upon there were 18 instructions. To each of the instructions and to all of them Colonel Crawford inclosed an objection and took an exception. The first, second, third and fourth instructions were to the effect that if the jury found that Scott Jackson cut Pearl Bryan's throat with a knife or other sharp instrument or procured Alonzo Walling to cut her throat, or was present while her throat was cut, they should find said Scott Jackson guilty of murder. The fifth and sixth instructions related to the use of drugs for the purpose of procuring an abortion, and said that if the jury found that Jackson believed that Pearl Bryan had been killed by such operation, and did afterward cut off her head, or was present when Alonzo Walling or another cut off her head, then he must be found guilty of murder.

The seventh, eighth and ninth clauses instructed for voluntary manslaughter in case the jury found that Pearl Bryan was dead as the result of an operation or taking drugs. The 10th instruction also related to the administration of drugs and said that if the jury found that he killed her accidentally and afterward cut off her head, they must find the prisoner guilty of voluntary manslaughter. The 11th and 12th instructions said that if the jury found that Scott Jackson cut off Pearl Bryan's head believing her to be dead already, and for the purpose of concealing her identity, they must find the prisoner guilty of involuntary manslaughter.

The 13th instruction related to all statements made by Alonzo Walling, and informed the jury that the prisoner's denial of any or all of these statements must be considered. The last five instructions were formal and technical. They recited the various penalties. For murder, death; for voluntary manslaughter, not more than 21 years, and for involuntary manslaughter, fine and imprisonment in the county jail. Jackson bestrayed no excitement during the reading of the instructions.

At 10:30 o'clock Colonel Nelson started to make the opening speech for the commonwealth. He said, in beginning: "My position here, gentlemen, is unique. I am not the sworn officer of this commonwealth and neither do I represent any person. I stand here utterly impartial. Against the prisoner at the bar I have no personal animosity. I can have none. But I have against the perpetration of this horrible crime that has stained our state with blood; against the human brute who not only killed his poor victim, and who mutilated her body and threw it upon the public highway, as if it had been carion. I feel it my duty to say that for the aged mother who nurtured this defendant, who traveled down into the dark shadows and the valley of death to give him birth, I have nothing but the greatest sympathy. For the sister and for the brother-in-law who have stayed by the side of this prisoner I extend my deepest sympathy. But our sympathy must not affect our duty, and we owe it to the public to do our full duty."

He said that he was unable to recall another crime which had so attracted the attention of the reading world as this one that was soon to go to the jury. The whole United States was looking this week to Newport to learn what the jury in this awful case would do. He said the jury would have but one proposition to determine, and that was, was the murder of a young woman, the mutilation of her body, the dumping of it upon the public road a crime? The jury would have no difficulty in getting at the facts from the mass of technicality about voluntary and involuntary manslaughter.

He said: "I speak for the citizens of the world, the whole civilized world who has watched this case with bated breath. I tell you now, men of Kentucky, that I shall not be satisfied, I tell you that the state of Kentucky will not be satisfied, the civilized world will not be satisfied, the parents of this poor murdered girl will not be satisfied with anything less than a verdict that says that this human brute (pointing at Jackson, who turned pale) shall be hanged by the neck until he be dead, dead, dead. If there is to be a farce about this, if this is to be anything less than the full penalty of the law for this atrocious crime, I tell you frankly, men of Kentucky, that I prefer for you to turn him loose upon this community and thus tell our citizens that murder may be done with impunity in Kentucky."

Colonel Nelson then described at length the life of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan at Greencastle. He spoke of Pearl as their "last born," and he appealed to the sympathies of those of the jury who had children of their own. He said: "On that fatal 18th of August—18th, that number that is considered unlucky—we find a man coming into that little town of Greencastle—a man who has traveled across the briny Atlantic, who has been educated in the east." He spoke of Scott Jackson's meeting with

the unsophisticated, confiding, trusting, innocent little country girl, living near the pretty Indiana town.

Jackson's nerve was wonderful. Colonel Nelson stepped right up to him and shook his finger in his face, but, save for a slight flushing of the face, the man never changed. Indeed, while Colonel Nelson's invective was most bitter, while his denunciations were loudest, there was a light in his eyes that looked a great deal like a smile. Turning to Colonel Crawford, Nelson said: "And you Brother Crawford, let us not misunderstand each other in this case. You have a duty for you client, but do not forget that you also have a duty to your state and to your God."

Colonel Nelson then began to pick up the threads of the testimony. He took up first the statement of Dr. Gillespie that Jackson had told him that he had been intimate with Pearl Bryan, and he argued that this statement, made by Jackson's friend, contradicted Scott Jackson's testimony on the stand. He then took up Jackson's testimony and he dwelt at some length on the latter's effort to place the blame for Pearl Bryan's condition upon Will Wood. He said: "Scott Jackson swears that this boy, Will Wood, kept writing to him, pleading to him to help him out of a scrape with Pearl Bryan. He himself had never had anything to do with Pearl Bryan up to that time. You saw this man when his own counsel asked, 'Were you ever improperly intimate with Pearl Bryan?'"

"With an effrontery that Beelzebub himself might have envied, before the aged parents of this girl, before an audience composed largely of ladies, he says in a loud voice 'I did.' That makes the man proud of his crime. I tell you that comes from a heart utterly black, unafflicted by the pangs of conscience. I should think that after that the blush of shame would come to this man's cheek and never leave it until he went to the grave. I say this without malice without anger—in the interests of decency, honesty and religion."

He then discussed Jackson's testimony. He said that Jackson had sworn that he had never been intimate with Pearl Bryan until after he had received word from Will Wood that Pearl Bryan was in trouble. He pointed out that Jackson had testified that, after hearing of Pearl Bryan's trouble, he then went out to the Bryan house and became intimate with the girl. He said: "Men of this jury, the story is a lie on the face of it. It is a lie as deep as the bottomless pit of hell, and if you believe that story, I wish to say that you have less intelligence than I thought you had when I selected you as jurors."

He compared Jackson and Will Wood, and said that Jackson was 27 years old, Will Wood 19. He said the boy was the pupil of the man, and the darker the defense painted the character of Wood, the blacker they made their own. He said that Scott Jackson was a man 50 years old in experience. He referred to the person as a man who has traveled across the ocean, who had been mixed up in the great Pennsylvania railroad robbery, had been in the saloon business in Jersey City, and who had been arrested in Indianapolis in a house of ill-fame. Colonel Nelson then said that according to his testimony of Scott Jackson there was not a witness who had testified for the commonwealth who had not committed perjury. He dared Colonel Crawford to point out one witness who had not been contradicted by the prisoner.

"I'll make a note of it," said Colonel Crawford.

"Do," said Colonel Nelson, "and when you get to it tell it out loud so we may all hear it."

Colonel Nelson then thanked, in the name of the state of Kentucky, the Cincinnati officials for the part they had taken in ferreting out the perpetrators of the crime. He said that the defense had in every way tried to belittle these witnesses. He said: "In regard to the other witnesses I was not so much surprised, but when it came to that man than above whom there is no higher in the state of Ohio, not excepting Major William McKinley, I mean Mayor Caldwell. They tried to impeach him. They cross-questioned him, and all because he said to the prisoner 'Tell the truth.'"

Colonel Nelson then took up again the testimony of Scott Jackson on the witness stand. He picked out all the weak spots in it, and commented strongly upon them. He dwelt at some length on the improbability of Jackson's story—that he had first seen Pearl Bryan in Cincinnati on Tuesday morning and the last time on Wednesday evening.

"Is there," cried Colonel Nelson, "any one that is expected to believe this? Does the defense think that there may be one juror on this bench who may be so ignorant as to believe this?"

He took up the testimony of Mrs. Weeks, the spiritualistic medium, to whom he referred as "a matronly, sweet woman, who stands well in Cincinnati." "Do you believe her?" cried Colonel Nelson, turning to Colonel Crawford.

"No, I don't," said Crawford. "Thank God for that confession. I say, thank God for that," cried Colonel Nelson with a dramatic gesture. He said that Mrs. Weeks was supported by a host of other witnesses, and should not be contradicted. She was backed up by Mrs. Holmes, Dr. Fortmeir, John W. Foster, old man Pinkhard and others. He said: "The defense brings up Hub Schwartz, a reporter of The Enquirer, to contradict Dr. Fortmeir. Which will you believe? That honest doctor and Mrs. Weeks or this newspaper reporter?"

Turning to Colonel Crawford, and, shaking his finger in his face, he said: "Was Mrs. Weeks a liar? Was Dr. Fortmeir a liar? Was J. W. Foster a liar? Was Mr. Pinkhard a liar? Were they all liars?"

He then passed to a discussion of the meeting on the streets between Scott Jackson, Alonzo Walling and Pearl Bryan.

He described Pearl Bryan's dress, and, reaching under the table, he pulled up the checked dress which was found on the headless body. It was dirty and covered with blood, and as Colonel Nelson walked slowly toward the prisoner, saying, "This bloody dress, this bloody dress," amid the most intense silence, the scene was so dramatic that a woman in the crowd cried out. "This is dreadful!"

The speaker recounted how Jackson threw Pearl Bryan's trinkets into the river. "But the valise," cried Nelson, as he shook the bloody satchel within a foot of Scott Jackson's face, "that valise had an electric touch, and he could not let go of it."

Colonel Nelson concluded by proclaiming that the defendant had been guilty of seduction, murder, mutilation of a dead body and robbery. He spoke for about five hours and finished at 5 o'clock, when court adjourned.

### M. E. CONFERENCE WORK.

The Election of Bishops Will Begin on Thursday of This Week.

CLEVELAND, May 12.—The high temperature and the humidity of the atmosphere both operated to prevent a burst of oratory at the Methodist Episcopal general conference yesterday, and the routine business transacted was disposed of with as little effort as possible. The most important question disposed of was the fixing of the time for the election of bishops. The election will begin on Thursday of this week and continue until all the officers are chosen.

Resolutions were presented favoring the obliteration of the color line in the election of bishops and condemning lynchings, both of which were referred to appropriate committees without action.

Another resolution proposing a reduction in the salaries of conference officials, because of hard times, was also referred to a committee.

At a meeting of the committee on episcopacy in the afternoon, a subcommittee reported that it had examined the law bearing on foreign episcopates and had reached the conclusion that there was nothing to prevent foreign bishops. The subcommittee recommended a bishop for Europe. The question of whether the church should exercise jurisdiction outside the United States, was warmly debated all the afternoon and laid over until the next meeting. In response to a previous request the bishops reported that they were in good health and capable of continuing in the discharge of their duties, but that in view of the growth of the church and possible contingencies, the election of two more bishops are desirable.

The committee on itinerancy considered the proposed changes in the church discipline. Two of the questions asked of an aspirant for ministerial appointment, both before and at the close of his probation, are:

"Will you promise to abstain entirely from tobacco?" and "are you in debt?"

The bishops proposed to omit these questions from the final examination and allow the first promises to stand. There was a long debate over this in committee, but the recommendation of the bishops was finally sustained on the vote.

A subcommittee of the committee on combination of benevolences recommended the joining of the Freedman's Aid and South Educational society and the board of education, under the name of "education and freedman's aid board," also the union of the Sunday school society and the Tract society under the name "Sunday School and Tract society." This met with strong opposition and the question went over to Wednesday.

The committee on boundaries recommended that the state of Michigan have four conferences instead of two.

The committee on revival of the constitution decided against shortening the term of probation, which is six months. A subcommittee was directed to draw up an order of church services, strictly Methodist Episcopal, which shall be mandatory.

The committee on state of the church recommended the appointment of one evangelist or more in each district conference for revival work. The proposition that the corresponding secretaries of all the church benevolences be nominated by the bishops and elected by the boards of control of these institutions was received, but no action taken on it. The discussion on the proposition to ask for the insertion after the word "Posterity" in the preamble of the United States constitution the words "In God we trust" was long and heated, and the question was finally referred to a subcommittee.

### THE EDITOR OF PUCK DEAD.

Henry Cuyler Bunner Succumbs to Consumption.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Henry Cuyler Bunner, editor of Puck, died yesterday afternoon at his residence in Nutley, N. J., from tubercular consumption. Mrs. Bunner and his children were at his bedside when death came.

Mr. Bunner was born in Oswego, N. Y., on Aug. 3, 1855. He was educated in a French school in New York city. His first venture in life was as an employee of a Portuguese business firm in this city, but the work was not congenial and he soon became connected with the New York newspapers and for some years worked as a reporter. In 1877 Schwartzman & Koppler issued the first edition of Puck. It was then a German publication. Before long the German edition was supplemented with an English edition, and Mr. Bunner was made the assistant editor, and later he was placed in charge as editor. Under his editorship and with the illustrations of Keppler the publication soon

attained a wide circulation and the property became very valuable.

In addition to his work on Puck, Mr. Bunner was a frequent contributor to the leading magazines, and was the author of a number of works. The most notable of these were "A Woman of Honor," published in 1883; "Airs from Acardy and Elsewhere," (poems), 1884; "The Midge," 1886; "The Story of a New York House," 1887, and "In Partnership," a collection of stories, 1884. In the latter production he collaborated with Brander Matthews.

Mr. Bunner had been sick for some time. Last winter he was sent to the Pacific coast. The trip did him little or no good, and a few weeks ago he returned to his Nutley home. Since then, Mrs. Bunner has been almost constantly at his bedside. The deceased leaves three children. The oldest is 9 years old, the youngest an infant.

### When Nature

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

### PERSONAL.

—Mr. B. A. Wallingford is spending a few days in Cincinnati.

—Mr. C. H. Pearson, of Madisonville, Ky., was here yesterday.

—Dr. J. H. Huddleston, of Murphysville, was in town Monday.

—Mr. A. Huffman, of Mt. Sterling, was here Monday on business.

—Mr. Wm. Sowards, of Lexington, was registered at the Central Monday.

—Mr. G. W. Bradley, of Flemingsburg, was in Maysville Monday on business.

—Mr. John Powell, of Covington, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. S. R. Powell.

—Mr. George C. Bryan, of Orange, California, was registered at the Central Monday.

—Mr. John H. Erion, the contractor, of Paris, was in Maysville Monday on business.

—Miss Marie T. McCann has returned home after a delightful visit to Mrs. Johnie Wells.

—Miss Julia Corbett has returned home from a visit of several weeks at Mr. Jno. Gantley's, of Wedonia.

—Mr. E. M. Hoadley, of the C. and O., with headquarters at Ashland, registered at the St. Charles Hotel Monday.

—Mrs. Lottie Gerholdt, of Dayton, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larson Dawson, of the Sixth ward.

—Mr. H. S. Sinclair, one of the U. S. Storekeepers at this place, is here again after a visit to his home in Georgetown, Ky.

—Mr. Samuel B. Chunn, the contractor and builder, left last night for Vanceburg where he is engaged on some new work.

—Mr. Jake Cablish was in Carlisle Monday in the interest of the Red Skin Tobacco Factory and booked several nice orders.

—Miss Anna Mills returned to her home at Flemingsburg Monday morning after a visit to friends and relatives in this city.

—Mrs. John Larkin, Jr., and children, of Washington, are the guests of her sisters, the Misses Moore, of Fern Leaf, this week.

—Colonel M. C. Russell left Monday afternoon for Louisville, to attend the session of the Kentucky Wholesale Grocers' Association.

—Messrs. Church Myall, Robert C. Owens, John Kackley and J. Wesley Lee were some of the Maysvillians who were in Carlisle yesterday.

—Oxford (O) News: "Mrs. Dr. A. N. Ellis and little son, William Nelson Ellis, and maid are visiting Mrs. Ellis' parents near Oxford."

—Miss Grace Bland and Miss Pierce, of Cincinnati, returned home Monday after spending a day or so with Mr. and Mrs. George T. Wood.

—W. H. Boyce, of Hartwell, O., George Mann, of Portsmouth, and J. M. Staten, of Richmond, Va., were among the guests at the St. Charles Hotel Monday.

—Mrs. Theo. Power and bright little daughter, after a visit of a week or so here, left this morning for Shelbyville to join her husband who is engaged in business at that place.

—United States Commissioner Thomas F. Rogers, of Mt. Sterling, was a passenger on the Virginia last night on his way to Covington to attend the United States Court. He will probably stop here, on his way home, to visit relatives.

—Messrs. L. Ed. Pearce, J. B. Mendenhall, John D. Walker, John Armstrong, R. Eason, J. R. McConnell, F. L. Smith and H. H. Wilson, prominent Red Men of Lexington, were at the Central last night and went to Augusta this morning to attend the Great Council of the big Chiefs of Kentucky.

## COMPETITOR'S CREW.

The Execution of Their Death Sentences Postponed.

### THEY WILL PROBABLY BE SAVED

The Views of the United States Will Be Heard Respecting the Application to Their Cases of the Treaty of 1795 and Protocol of 1877—A Strong Defense For the Captives.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—In the cases of the men arrested on the Competitor it can be authoritatively stated that at the request of the United States the Spanish government will postpone the execution of the death sentences upon American citizens until the views of the United States respecting the application to their cases of the treaty of 1795 and the protocol of 1877 can be presented and considered.

The postponement of the executions means a delay of some weeks at least, and that the matter will be taken up by the diplomatic representatives of the United States and of Spain, and be made the subject of the exchange of correspondence on the interpretation to be given the treaty provisions between the two nations. Meanwhile the effect will be to allay popular excitement both here and in Spain.

The action of the state department in insisting upon a re-trial at least of the American prisoners is evidently in answer to the contention of the court-martial that the Cushing protocol of 1877 did not apply to the present case. The court held that it applied only to American citizens resident in Spain, or the Spanish dominions, and as the captives from the Competitor were not in any sense residents of Cuba, decided that they could not claim any of the privileges accorded by the protocol.

In the opinion of the state department this was an extremely narrow and illiberal construction to place upon the protocol, but while not accepting this construction, the department guarded against an adverse decision on the protocol by recurring to the ancient treaty of 1795, on the ground that if the prisoners' case was not covered by the protocol they certainly could invoke the measure of protection afforded by the earlier treaty. While this treaty is not by any means generous in the matter of privileges held out to American prisoners, it still contains some guarantees of great value to them in just such cases as that which has now arisen. The section of the treaty applying to the case in the judgment of the state department is Article VII, which reads as follows:

"And it is agreed that the subjects and citizens of each of the contracting parties, their vessels or effects, shall not be liable to embargo or detention on the part of the other for any military expedition or public or private purpose whatever, and in all cases of seizure, detention, or arrest for debts contracted, or offenses committed by any citizens of the one party within the jurisdiction of the other, the same shall be made and prosecuted by order and authority of law only, and according to the regular course of proceeding usual in such cases. The citizens and subjects of both parties shall be allowed to employ such advocates, solicitors and notaries, agents and factors as they may judge proper in all their affairs and in all their trials at law in which they may be concerned before the tribunals of the other party, and such agents shall have free access to be present at the proceedings in such cases and at the taking of an examination and evidence which may be exhibited in the said trials."

The contention of the state department is that, irrespective of the Cushing protocol of 1877, this treaty gives the American prisoners certain privileges that were withheld from them by the Spanish court-martial. Notably, they were obliged to rest their defense in the hands of a Spanish officer detailed for the purpose, and one in all probability not particularly anxious to clear his clients, and were prevented from selecting their own counsel, as guaranteed by the treaty. Also, it is said that the prisoners did not have an opportunity to procure testimony in their own behalf. This is one of the privileges inseparable from a lawful and regular conduct of the prosecution. Although the indications are that the state department is preparing a strong defense against the execution of the death penalty, in the case of the American prisoners.

### HURRYING HIS DEPARTURE.

General Fitzhugh Lee Will Soon Be in Cuba as Our Consul General.

RICHMOND, May 12.—General Fitzhugh Lee is expediting his preparations to leave for Cuba earlier than he expected when recently appointed consul general to that island by President Cleveland.

He came to Richmond immediately after his appointment, accompanied by Mrs. Lee, expecting to spend the usual time allowed to consular officers before departing for a foreign post, with friends in this city, but almost as soon as he arrived he received his papers from the state department with instructions to qualify himself for the position by taking the oath of office, which he did before a United States commissioner.

Then, in response to a telegram from the president, he immediately left for Washington, and, after several interviews with the president and Secretary Olney, he returned to his home at Lynchburg. He will leave for Washington on May 15 to receive final instructions before starting for Cuba.



## EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.  
**ROSSER & McCARTHY,**  
 Proprietors.  
 SUBSCRIPTION PRICES OF DAILY.  
 One month..... 25 | Three months..... 75  
 Six months..... \$1 50 | One year..... \$3 00  
 TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1896.

### INDICATIONS.

Partly cloudy weather, with conditions favorable for local thunderstorms; light to fresh variable winds.

Sunrise..... 4:45  
 Sun set..... 7:08  
 Moon rise..... 4:10  
 Day of year..... 133

The Portsmouth Blade is still roasting Ohio's late Republican Legislature. It says:

There is not a Republican paper in the State with the courage of its convictions that has not expressed disgust with the Cox-Foraker-Bushnell-Sleeper-Kurtz machine, called a legislature, that has just adjourned. Some of them don't have the courage to call by name the politicians who pulled the string that put the jumping-jacks in motion, but he who reads between the lines may have no difficulty in understanding whom is meant. There are a few cur papers, obsequious, crawling, lick-spittle fellows, of course, that indorse the Legislature. No matter what crime against the people, so it be committed in the name of politics, such creatures will commend.

### River News.

Sherley for Pomeroy and Virginia for Pittsburg up to-night, and Bonanza down.

The big towboat Harry Brown was completely wrecked near Vicksburg Sunday night by the explosion of her boilers.

Maysville people never tire of looking at the elegant Virginia. Several hundred visited her last evening, and a party went down from here until they met the Stanley, returning on the latter steamer.

MR. JOS. H. WALLINGFORD, who has been ill some time, was able to be out yesterday.

PERKINS KAY, aged four years, came near dislocating his shoulder last Friday while playing. Dr. Yazell was called and the little fellow is now better.

In the Police Court Monday Andrew Thomas, Dexter Dryden, George Hill, Charles Deatley and Charles Austin were each fined \$1 and costs for a breach of the peace. Lemuel Hildebrand was acquitted.

DR. T. N. WHITE, of New York, a member of the American Medical Association, and editor of one of the leading medical journals, was registered at the Central Hotel Monday. He had heard of the birth of the quintuplets near Mayfield, Ky., week before last, and was en route to investigate the case. His telegram of instructions had gotten Maysville as the home of the youngsters' parents, instead of Mayfield, and the Doctor didn't find out the mistake until he reached here.

### Perfect Wisdom

Would give us perfect health. Because men and women are not perfectly wise, they must take medicines to keep them perfectly healthy. Pure, rich blood is the basis of good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier. It gives good health because it builds upon the true foundation—pure blood.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, always reliable and beneficial.

## THE PEOPLE'S.

### Annual Report of This Building Association—An Excellent Showing.

### Secretary Baldwin's Statement of Receipts and Expenditures the Past Year.

MAYSVILLE, KY., May 12th, 1896.  
 To the officers and members of the People's Building Association—Gentlemen: Below is my report for year ending April 30:

| Receipts.  |                       |
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| Cash on hand May 1st, 1895.....                                  | \$ 300 17             |
| Weekly dues.....   | 30,675 73             |
| Monthly dues.....  | 1,428 05              |
| Fines.....   | 251 25                |
| Interest.....  | 4,179 41              |
| Transfers.....   | 22 50                 |
| Initiation 614 shares.....                                       | 11 50                 |
| Attorney fees.....   | 322 00                |
| Bonus cancelling stock.....                                      | 56 00                 |
| Mortgages canceled.....  | 18,670 00             |
| Stock loans canceled.....  | 6,635 00              |
| Insurance.....   | 21 00                 |
| Bills payable.....   | 23,200 00—\$56,008 13 |
| Disbursements.   |                       |
| Loans on mortgages.....  | \$28,400 00           |
| Loans on stock.....  | 7,855 00              |
| Paid for 481 shares canceled.....                                | 15,078 25             |
| Paid Attorney.....   | 314 00                |
| Paid salaries, expenses, etc.....                                | 1,012 00              |
| Bills payable.....   | 27,835 00             |
| Paid dividend No. 4.....   | 4,894 40              |
| Paid insurance.....  | 56 40                 |
| Cash in hand of Treasurer.....                                   | 782 48—\$86,008 13    |
| The association has now loaned on—                               |                       |
| Mortgages.....   | \$82,250 00           |
| Stock.....   | 9,990 00              |
| Total loans.....   | \$91,340 00           |
| Statement of Shares.   |                       |
| No. shares in first series, May 1, 1895.....                     | 542                   |
| No. canceled during year.....                                    | 103—439               |
| No. shares in second series May 1, 1895.....                     | 715                   |
| No. canceled during year.....                                    | 149—566               |
| No. shares in third series May 1, 1895.....                      | 313                   |
| No. canceled during year.....                                    | 82—231                |
| No. shares in fourth series May 1, 1895.....                     | 605                   |
| No. canceled during year.....                                    | 129—476               |
| No. of shares issued in fifth series commencing May 1, 1895..... | 644                   |
| No. canceled during year.....                                    | 18—626                |
| Total No. shares in the association.....                         | 2,338                 |
| Each share of stock has paid in as follows:                      |                       |
| First series.....  | \$65 25               |
| Second series.....   | 52 00                 |
| Second series, January issue.....                                | 45 25                 |
| Second series, February issue.....                               | 42 25                 |
| Second series, March issue.....                                  | 41 25                 |
| Second series, April issue.....                                  | 40 25                 |
| Third series.....  | 39 00                 |
| Third series, June issue.....                                    | 38 00                 |
| Third series, July issue.....                                    | 37 00                 |
| Third series, August issue.....                                  | 35 75                 |
| Third series, September issue.....                               | 24 75                 |
| Third series, December issue.....                                | 31 50                 |
| Fourth series.....   | 26 00                 |
| Fifth series.....  | 13 00                 |

Respectfully,  
 ROBERT L. BALDWIN, Secretary.

### AN OLD MAN ROBBED.

James Dalzell, a Prominent Nicholas County Farmer Roughly Handled by Footpads.

As James Dalzell, an old and prominent farmer of Nicholas County, was returning home Saturday night from Carlisle he was accosted by two negroes, who demanded his money, \$400, which he had just received for his tobacco crop.

He resisted, and they beat him nearly to death with clubs, leaving him unconscious.

They rifled his pockets of the money, and took his gold watch.

He was not found until Sunday morning when medical aid was summoned. His condition is dangerous.

Two negroes, John Tolbert and Will Brice, have been arrested, and the authorities think they have conclusive evidence against them.

**Closing Out Sale of M. Gunn.**  
 I am closing out the entire stock—harness, saddles, collars and everything in this line. For next ten days will sell goods below cost. Now is the time to save money. W. R. ZECH, assignee, Market street.

## Nervous

People find just the help they so much need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It furnishes the desired strength by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood, and thus builds up the nerves, tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

"I want to praise Hood's Sarsaparilla. My health run down, and I had the grip. After that, my heart and nervous system were badly affected, so that I could not do my own work. Our physician gave me some help, but did not cure. I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon I could do all my own housework. I have taken

## Cured

Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 13 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through the blessing of God, it has cured me. I worked as hard as ever the past summer, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Freehold, Penn.

This and many other cures prove that

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills effectively. 25 cents.

Ice cream soda at Armstrong's.

THE Executive Committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian Church will have a meeting immediately after prayer meeting Thursday evening. Business of importance.

THE agent of Liggett & Myers at Flemingsburg has received about 200,000 pounds of tobacco to date. In four days last week they took in about 150,000 and one day about 50,000.

THE sound-money Democrats of Kentucky have appointed committees to look after the campaign in this State. Hon. John F. Hager, of Ashland, represents the Ninth Congressional district.

MR. AND MRS. J. T. KACKLEY, Mrs. Shultz Wood, Ed. Nesbitt, C. D. Russell, Miss Frances Cake, G. S. Judd and A. M. Peed will go to Flemingsburg on their wheels Thursday, leaving here at 5:30 a. m. Anyone wishing to join the party is cordially invited.

It is said 5,000 people were present Sunday at the opening of the base ball season at Clyffside Park near Ashland. The Navies of Cincinnati was the opposing team. After one inning had been played all parties interested in the game were arrested and taken to Ashland.

ANYONE knowing of a Union veteran buried in this county without suitable markers to his grave can have the same placed there without charge if they will send name of the soldier, number of company and to what regiment he belonged. The undersigned will esteem it a favor to have such information given them.

COL. JOHN V. DAY,  
 GEO. W. OLDHAM,  
 JOHN BOYER.

## Fickle Fashion's New-found Fad!

*Linen's the Thing.* Linen shades and linen fabrics will line the streets this summer. It's the most sensible fad the summer girl has found. Linen spread in everything, plain Linen Colors, Linen Stripes, Linen Dots, Linen Organdies, Linen Lawns, Linen Dimities and so on through a stock of beautiful Wash Goods. Persian Patterns, Printed Warps and Dresden designs, come close to the Linen fad in popularity—hard to say which leads.

**Dimities** hold their own. This fabric was never shown in more beautiful colorings,—Dresden, Persian and warp effects without end. For 8½, 10, 12½, 15, 18, 20, 25.

**Jaconets.**—Plain colors, stripes, small figures, Dresden and Persian patterns and linen shades, 12½.

**Leno Tulle.**—Entirely new. Light sheer fabric, not too open, between a lattice and plain cloth, comes in choice, delicate Organdy styles and Persian and linen shades, 15 a yard.

**Organdie Raye.**—Another of the new and beautiful fabrics, elastic finish, firm texture, patterns especially adapted for children's wear, 15 a yard.

**Lace Stripe** a novelty, with lace effect running lengthwise between stripes of ½ to 1½ inches, worn in light blue, pink, linen and other color combinations, 15 a yard.

**Organdies.**—Go from the silk to the Organdy pile and you will find the same designs and colors. In both, the Dresden, Persian and printed warp prevail, 32-in. width, for 15 and 18 cts.; 33-in. fine French Imported Organdy, best the market contains, very sheer weave, new designs, 29c.

**Corded Mull.**—32 inches wide, new, sheer fabric, elastic finish, with a Dimity cord which adds to its firmness, 15c a yard.

**Printed Madras.**—A soft, delicate material, Persian patterns in light and dark shades, most desirable for shirt waists, 10 a yard.

**Princesse Weave,** with Bourette and Dimity cord running through, which give firmness and that dressy effect so desired. Comes in new Persian and linen shades, especially used just now for waists, 25 a yard.

## D. HUNT & SON. The Best Dollar

LASTS LONGEST, AND WE GIVE THE BEST DOLLAR'S WORTH . . . . .

### OUR CHINA AND QUEENSWARE

Are guaranteed to be precisely as represented; the dollars paid for it last because the goods last. We are making special drives on Chamber Sets this week. Call in.

### C. D. RUSSELL & CO., "The Chinamen."



### Mamma & Baby

Have both been benefited by Brown's Iron Bitters. No wonder they look well and happy. Thousands of mothers and babies can look the same if they will use

**BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.**

A sure cure for women's troubles and strengthens weak and puny children.

Red X lines on the wrapper show it to be genuine.

Brown Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

### TO THE HEART.

### A Young Farmer Stabbed to Death Near Peebles, Adams County, Ohio.

PEEBLES, O., May 11.—At Mineral Springs, Saturday night, a number of people, among them being Nathaniel Dodge, twenty-four, a farmer, were returning from a church meeting.

In the crowd were Thomas, George, Henry and Sylvester Thomas, brothers. Dodge was walking with his sister, when, it is said, George Taylor accosted him and said: "Dodge, who told you I stole a horse and buggy at Maysville, Ky. I believe you made up that lie." It is said that before Dodge could reply George and Sylvester Taylor attacked him, and he was dazed by a blow from a stone. While the trouble was at its height Dodge was heard to say: "Take them off; they are stabbing me to death."

The Taylors were pulled away from their victim, who sunk to the ground. The alleged assaulters left the scene, but Dodge's brother and sister, who had been witnesses of the tragedy, made the wounded man as comfortable as they could and remained by his side in the woods until death came. One stab had penetrated his heart.

Sylvester Taylor was arrested, but the other three brothers escaped.

### Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at J. James Wood's drug store.

### Horses Wanted.

Mr. Joe Kindig, of York, Pa., will be at Mose Daulton & Bro.'s stable, Maysville, Ky., on Tuesday, May 26th, 1896, and will pay the highest market prices for good, sound horses or mares from four to six years old, well broken and in good flesh. Bring in good ones and get the money for them. Don't forget the date, Tuesday, May 26th.

BALLENGER can not enumerate or do justice to the variety, quality and style of his goods, and must ask you all to call and see his splendid display. He will take pleasure in quoting you close prices which make his goods doubly attractive.

### Monitor Ranges.

Ranges made by the best manufacturers in this country, from \$25 up and warranted. If not as represented you can find me any hour in the day at my store. See me before you buy from any one. I will save you money.

W. F. POWER.

KATE BLYTHE was taxed \$2 and costs in the Police Court for using abusive language.

Get your ready-mixed paint at Chenoweth's drug store. An analysis of their paint shows it to be made of white lead, linseed oil and coloring matter.

ROBINSON BRADFORD has opened a chicken market at No. 30 East Second, opposite Alexander's stable. Nice chickens cheap, delivered any where in city.

AN exchange says that it is probable that, with weight, power and speed considered, nothing has ever been invented which presents such results in carrying and locomotive capacity as are shown by the bicycle. A freight car carries twice its weight twenty miles an hour; the bicycle carries seven times its weight ten miles an hour.

BATH COUNTY Democrat: "Hon. W. LaRue Thomas, of Maysville, is a candidate for Congress from this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Thomas is a man of brains and character and a Democrat of the simon-pure kind. We doubt if there is a man in the district that would more ably represent its interests in Congress."

THE Vanceburg Sun compliments S. B. Chunn & Co., contractors, very highly for their fine work on the new Christian Church at that place. Speaking of the church "parlor," the Sun says: "At one side of this room is set a grate, the donation of Mr. Henry Shea, Maysville, and surmounted by a beautiful carved and ornamental mantel, the donation of Collins & Rudy Lumber Company, of same city. The carvings and scroll work which ornament the casing, above the rolling partition, was donated by the Maysville Manufacturing Company."

### A Great Opportunity.

We give away, absolutely free of cost, for a limited time only, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, by R. V. Pierce, M. D., Chief Consulting Physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, a book of 1008 large pages, profusely illustrated, bound in strong paper covers, to any one sending 21 cents in one-cent stamps, to pay cost of mailing only. Over 680,000 copies of this complete family doctor book already sold in cloth binding at regular price of \$1.50. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

# BIG CUT IN SHOES FOR CASH ONLY

On SATURDAY, MAY 9th, We Begin a Cut-Price Sale

ON ALL SHOES IN OUR HOUSE. LOOK, AND YOU WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED. EVERY PAIR OF SHOES WILL BE SOLD AT REDUCED PRICES.

We Mention Only a Few of the Rare Bargains:

One thousand pairs Women's Dongola Button Shoes, made to sell from \$2 to \$5 per pair, sizes 1 to 3, in this sale \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Five hundred pairs Women's Dongola Oxfords, sizes 1 to 3, made to sell for \$1.25 to \$3, in this sale 50, 75, \$1 and \$1.25.

Three hundred pairs Men's High-grade Shoes, all sizes, made to sell for \$2.50 to \$6, in this sale \$1.50 to \$3.50.

Fifty pairs Women's Tan Polish, sizes 1 to 3, made to sell for \$3.50, in this sale \$1.25.

A good line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Tan Shoes at prices that will interest you.

PERSONS OWING ACCOUNTS.—I must insist on them being paid, as longer indulgence will not be given.

W. W. BALL, Assignee of

H. C. BARKLEY & CO.



## OUT FOR BUSINESS.

### Merchants of Maysville Will Try to Secure a Series of Cheap Excursions.

#### What Was Done at the Meeting of the Business Men of the City Last Night.

The meeting of the business men at the court house last night was very well attended, representatives of many of the principal houses being present.

It was called to order by Editor Thos. A. Davis, and on his suggestion and motion Mr. D. Hechinger was elected Chairman. Representatives of the newspapers present were chosen Secretaries.

Mr. Hechinger stated that the chief object of the meeting was to devise some plans for arranging for a series of cheap excursions.

An address was made by Mr. Davis, who recounted briefly some of the changes in Maysville's commercial standing in the past forty years, and her experience with the old Maysville and Lexington Railroad, and her great loss when she allowed that road to pass out of her control and into the hands of the Kentucky Central.

Concerning the idea of cheap excursions, he said it was not original with him. Other cities were availing themselves of the scheme. He suggested that committees be appointed to confer with the two railroad companies and try to arrange for a series of excursions.

Remarks were made by Mr. Geo. T. Hunter and others.

On motion of Mr. R. L. Browning, committees were appointed to confer with the railroad companies, and ascertain whether they would consent to run such excursions and upon what terms. The committees are as follows:

To confer with the L. and N.—R. L. Browning, Simon Rosenau and E. H. Benzel.

To confer with C. and O.—E. A. Robinson, John Duley and W. W. Wikoff.

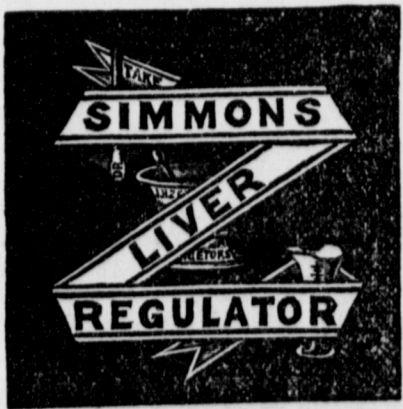
On motion of W. H. Lynch, a committee was appointed to wait upon Council and petition that body to repeal the license on circuses. The Chairman appointed James W. Fitzgerald, H. C. Barkley and John C. Adamson as said committee.

On motion of Mr. Browning, the Chairman, Mr. Hechinger, was appointed Chairman of the Committee to solicit a guarantee fund, and was given authority to select the other members of the committee.

The meeting then adjourned.

Those who attended the meeting are thoroughly in earnest, and if the railroad do not demand too much in the way of a guarantee it is safe to say that arrangements will be made for a series of cheap excursions to Maysville this season, on both roads.

One thing was overlooked last night, however, and that was the appointment of a committee to arrange, if possible, a series of special attractions in the way of amusements or games on the dates of the excursions. Cheap rates will draw better if there is some special attraction at this end of the line. Several business men have expressed the opinion that a series of good ball games and bicycle races at the park in the afternoon of the cheap excursion days would prove big attractions, and would help to swell the crowd and attain the desired end. But



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Is SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. Don't forget to take it. Now is the time you need it most to wake up your Liver. A sluggish Liver brings on Malaria, Fever and Ague, Rheumatism, and many other ills which shatter the constitution and wreck health. Don't forget the word REGULATOR. It is SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR you want. The word REGULATOR distinguishes it from all other remedies. And, besides this, SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR is a Regulator of the Liver, keeps it properly at work, that your system may be kept in good condition. FOR THE BLOOD take SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. It is the best blood purifier and corrector. Try it and note the difference. Look for the RED Z on every package. You won't find it on any other medicine, and there is no other Liver remedy like SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR—the King of Liver Remedies. Be sure you get it. J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

no ball team has yet been organized, and that matter should be looked after at once. The cheap excursions ought to prove an extra inducement to the members of the base ball association to get a team together at once.

Other attractions could be secured also, if the matter is undertaken in the right spirit. A big political meeting with speakers of National reputation would prove a good drawing card for one day.

The committee could also set on foot a move for an old-time celebration of July 4th. Unless some such celebration is had here Maysville will be practically deserted on the 4th. Other places are arranging to celebrate the day; why should not Maysville?

Messrs. John. Hunt and Captain John T. Martin, in connection with D. Hechinger, are the Committee on Guarantee Fund.

New vegetables, fancy berries—Calhoun's.

ASHLAND and Catlettsburg are now connected by an electric railway.

'SQUIRE BEN F. MAXEY, of Fleming, died last week, aged eighty-three.

THE C. and O. gravel train resumed work on the Front street fill Monday.

JOHN ROBERT WALKER graduates from Wayland Seminary, Washington City, May 27th.

SWEET mixed pickles, pint or quart; high grade tea and coffee, at John O'Keefe's.

LOVELY interior photos of Masonic Temple and Odd Fellows' Hall on sale at Cady's Art Studio.

THE annual meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association will be held in Newport, June 23, 24 and 25.

FOR a good investment take stock in the sixth series of the People's Building Association, commencing May 2, 1896.

EVERY can of Ray's Rainbow Ready Mixed Paint is guaranteed not to peel, chalk or crack. Found at Postoffice Drugstore.

THE Knights of Pythias at Cynthiana will observe Decoration Day, May 30th, by decorating the graves of their dead. Knights from Paris, Carlisle, Falmouth and other cities have been invited to be present.

THE Passenger Department of the C. and O. has issued, under the head of "Practical Christianity," a lengthy article setting forth the benefits of the Y. M. C. A. to the railroad in the way of elevating the moral and social condition of the employees.

BATH County Democrat: "Morg. Thomas proved a traitor to Gov. Bradley, in whose councils he had sat, and in doing so succeeded in sounding the death-knell of his son-in-law, the Hon. Pugh. The Republicans of the Ninth district have grown tired of the bossism of Morg."

A FEMALE resident of Bellevue, whose home is elegantly fitted up, was caught begging in Cincinnati Thursday by officers of the Associated Charities. The woman's daughter made a full acknowledgment of the scheme. She stated that her mother had been begging for a number of years.

D. H. FOUSCHE and Philip Meighan, of Lexington, arrested for fraudulent use of the mails, waived examination before U. S. Commissioner Hastings of Paris, and were held over in the sum of \$1,000 to answer in the U. S. Court. It is charged they advertised for agents to sell fine whiskies, and 259 persons answered, each sending \$10 for agent's outfit of sample case and half gallon whisky, worth \$3 altogether. Witnesses from Michigan, Illinois and West Virginia were present.

In his Sunday night sermon Dr. Fred Hale, of Owensboro, admonished his congregation to be present at the next business meeting of the church, when he proposes to expunge from the roll the membership of those engaged in or in anywise connected with the liquor traffic. The members who persist in absenting themselves from the service of the church and who refuse to donate to the salary fund to pay the preacher are his next victims. He claims that under the rules the members have the right to exclude these delinquents and he suggested Sunday night that they might go next, says the Messenger.

#### A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested? Trial bottles free at J. James Wood's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.

## FARMERS' MUTUAL AID.

### Annual Meeting of the Association. New Officers—What it is Doing.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Aid Association of Mason County was held Monday at the court house.

Mr. J. B. Key was elected President and Hon. J. E. Cahill Secretary and Treasurer. The old Board of Directors was continued, excepting that Mr. C. T. Calvert, of Germantown, was elected in place of Mr. L. H. Mannen, who has moved to Kansas.

The association now has 628 members, an increase of forty-six in the last year.

The amount of insurance now in force is \$847,388, an increase of \$15,014 in the last year.

During the seventeen years the association has been in existence thirty-eight assessments have been made, amounting in all to \$6.11 on the \$100, an average of a fraction less than 36 cents a year on the \$100. There were three assessments made last year, one for 20 cents and two for 10 cents each, making 40 cents on the \$100 for the year.

There was in the treasury at beginning of year last May \$28.50. On the three assessments there was collected \$3,148.59. During the year the association paid out \$3,113.85 in losses and expenses of company. Balance in treasury, \$63.24.

Improvised blood causes that tired feeling Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies, enriches, and vitalizes the blood and gives vigor and vitality.

"Now the earth prolific swells  
With leafy buds and flowery bells."

MR. HENRY WADSWORTH has accepted a position as salesman for the Garland Refining Company of Cleveland.

THE Maysville Carriage Company shipped yesterday to Mt. Sterling parties a handsome carriage that had been repaired, a new surrey and several new buggies.

J. F. PARKER has the offer of a good situation and will retire from the photograph business. Best cabinet photoes, \$1 per dozen until our stock is worked up. Parker's gallery.

BOOKS are now open for subscription to stock in the sixth series of the People's Building Association, commencing May 2, 1896. Call on Robert L. Baldwin, Secretary, John Duley, Treasurer, or any of the directors.

#### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

# Printed Wash Goods!

Jaconette Duchesse,  
Venetian Dimity,  
Grass Linen,  
Dotted Swiss Organdy,  
Persian Percales,

Cordele Marquise,  
Corded Swiss Mull,  
French Organdy,  
Corisette Zephyr,  
Corea Madras.

A big job in Zephyr Gingham, 12½c. quality at 8½c. Have just received ten dozen of Ladies' Shirt Waists, in Grass Linen and Madras Cloth at 50, 75, \$1 and \$1.25.

See our line of Children's full Seamless Fast Black Ribbed Hose at 10c.

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Union Suits at 50 cents.

On our cheap counter will be found some big bargains in Summer Dress Goods.

## BROWNING & CO.

51 West Second Street.

# SPRING STYLES!

See our new line of  
Men's TAN Shoes,  
all shades, all styles.  
Popular prices, from  
\$1.63 upwards.

## PROGRESS SHOE STORE

# SPECIAL FOR MAY

## THE BEE HIVE!

### CARPETS

We are very busy in our Carpet rooms. These prices tell the story:

50c. Brussels at 39c.  
75c. Brussels at 50c.  
\$1 Velvets at 69c.  
50c. Ingrains at 39c.  
40c. Ingrains at 29c.  
Mattings at 10, 12, 15c. up to the very finest.

Full line of Rugs in Smyrna, Moquette and Jap, and China Rugs. Get our prices.

One hundred pieces new lawns, dimity and wash dress goods just received. These include all the new linen effects. See window display.

WITCH KLOTH.—A new supply of witch kloth. Greatest invention of the age, 15c. See it. Sole selling agents Ferris Good Sense Corset Waists and Onyx Hosiery.

### LACE CURTAINS.

We commence our line of Curtains with a full three-yard, good full width, cheap at \$1.00, our price 69c.; \$1.25 grade, 89c.; \$1.50 grade, \$1.

SPECIAL.—One hundred pairs three and a half yard good sixty inch wide, would be cheap at \$3, special price \$1.69.

Full line door and Sash Curtains and Draperies.

Don't forget that we sell Window Shades.

### Laundried SHIRT WAISTS

We show over one hundred patterns in Ladies' Laundried Shirt Waists. If you want to have a perfect fit and stylish waist, get one of our

### National Brand Waists.

They are the proper thing. Now is the time to buy. Thirty styles at 50c.; fifty styles at \$1.—all with the new Bishop sleeves. New line of Belts just in.

## BOYS', YOUTHS', Tan Shoes!

J. HENRY PECOR.



L. H. Landman, M.D.,

Optician, 411 W. Ninth street, Cincinnati, O., will be at the Central Hotel, Maysville, Ky., on Thursday, JUNE 4, returning every first Thursday of each month. Glasses adjusted to all forms of defective vision at popular prices.

### A HIGH GRADE

## Shoe

Only can claim the honors of the foot. To gain this rank takes a combination of qualities such as Shoes we sell invariably possess. They have the right form because it's the that of the foot, to which the foot takes as kindly as a child does to pie. That's our idea, and we fully realize it in our stock. A poor shoe is no sooner worn than worn out. Footwear can't present too many good points! Ours have them all. Our prices will please you too.

F. B. Ranson & Co.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

ACCIDENT ins. tickets. W. R. Warder





"Big as a Barn Door."

## Battle Ax PLUG

For 5 cents you get almost as much "Battle Ax" as you do of other high grade goods for 10 cents. Before the days of "Battle Ax" consumers paid 10 cents for same quality. Now, "Battle Ax"—Highest Grade, 5 cents. That's true economy.

### COUNTY COURT.

#### Regular May Term—Settlements Filed and Other Business Transacted.

The regular May term of the Mason County Court was held Monday, Judge Hutchins presiding.

The following settlements were ordered recorded:

Joseph M. Byar and Dr. S. E. Pollitt, trustees of the Hiatt fund.

Thomas Breeze, guardian of George Breeze.

Charles W. Clark, administrator of E. C. Clark.

A. J. Stiles and H. D. Watson, guardians of William H. Lula B. and Mary M. Howard.

Mattie E. Davis, administratrix of Robert M. Davis.

Powell B. Owens, administrator of Alfred Gibbs.

Report of a settlement with William Gabby, administrator of Mary Gabby, filed and continued for exceptions.

The will of John H. Ward was admitted to record. Martha Ward qualified as executrix without surety. He bequeathed all his estate to his wife.

J. W. Thomas qualified as guardian of Oliver P. and Clemency F. Thomas, with C. W. Williams as surety.

Reports of C. W. Williams, guardian of Bessie and Clinton Stockdale, filed and ordered recorded.

Reports of J. W. Thomas, guardian of G. W. Thomas, Clemency F. Thomas, Olley Thomas, Walter V. Thomas and Nellie May Thomas, filed and ordered recorded.

R. S. Weaver qualified as administrator of James A. Caywood, with Willis Weaver surety. Appraisers, C. W. Williams, H. B. Craycraft and J. A. Manley.

Mary Ann Gault qualified as administrator of J. W. Gault with R. F. Gault, Ross P. Gault and Scott Stevenson as sureties. Appraisers, E. L. Belfry, Lewis Jefferson and R. T. Watson.

J. W. Rees and J. W. Prather were appointed commissioners to assess the property owners along the Shannon and Lowell turnpike a sufficient amount to pay the indebtedness of said road.

A. E. Cole qualified as guardian of Sarah R. Taylor and Jane Taylor, with A. D. Cole as surety.

#### Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

The Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. will meet to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 4 o'clock at Y. M. C. A. hall. A full attendance of the board is especially desired, as there will be business of importance for consideration.

#### A. O. U. W.

Regular meeting to-night at hall on Sutton street at 7:30. A full attendance is desired. R. H. WALLACE, Recorder.

Mr. F. J. GINN and Mr. H. B. Holmes, of the C. and O., were in town yesterday. Mr. Ginn will take Mr. Holmes' position as Assistant Traveling Auditor on this division. Mr. Holmes goes to the Huntington division.

#### Base Ball.

AT CINCINNATI— R H E  
Cincinnati.....0 0 6 0 0 2 0 2 x—10 11 1  
Washington.....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 7 3  
Batteries—Foreman and Pietz; McJames and McCauley. Umpire—Hurst.

AT CHICAGO— R H E  
Chicago.....1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—4 10 2  
Boston.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—3 4 5  
Batteries—Friend and Kittredge; Nichols and Ryan. Umpires—Weidman and Keefe.

AT ST. LOUIS— R H E  
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—3 8 3  
Baltimore.....3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 x—4 6 2  
Batteries—Breitenstein and McFarland; McMahon and Robinson. Umpire—Emslie.

AT PITTSBURG— R H E  
Pittsburg.....2 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 x—4 12 4  
New York.....0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2 6 3  
Batteries—Killen and Sugden; Clark and Wilson. Umpire—Sheridan.

AT CLEVELAND— R H E  
Cleveland.....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 13 2  
Philadelphia.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 3 6—10 12 2  
Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Carsey and Clements. Umpire—Lynch.

#### THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Livestock Markets For May 12.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, \$4 20@4 40; good butchers, \$3 80@4 10; bulls, steers and cows, \$1 75@3 50; rough fat, \$3 00@3 75; fresh cows and springers, \$15@45. Hogs—Prime light, \$3 05@3 70; heavy, \$3 50@3 60; common to fair, \$3 00@3 10. Sheep—Extra, \$3 60@3 70; good, \$3 20@3 40; common, \$2 75@3 00; spring lambs, \$3 50@4 25; veal calves, \$4 00@4 50.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—68@70c. Corn—31 1/2@32c. Cattle—Selected butchers, \$3 85@4 00; fair to medium, \$3 40@3 80; common, \$2 75@3 25. Hogs—Selected and prime butchers, \$3 80@3 95; packing, \$1 75@3 25; common to rough, \$3 00@3 15. Sheep—\$2 50@3 75. Lambs—\$3 50@4 75.

Chicago.

Hogs—Selected butchers, \$3 10@3 35; mixed, \$3 25@3 35. Cattle—Poor to choice steers, \$3 35@4 35; others, \$3 60@4 25; cows and bulls, \$1 75@3 40. Sheep—\$2 75@3 00; lambs, \$3 50@4 50.

New York.

Cattle—\$2 75@4 25. Sheep—\$3 00@4 00; lambs, \$4 00@5 25.

#### Maysville Retail Market.

GREEN COFFEE—#10 22 @25  
MOLASSES—new crop, #1 gallon.....50 @65  
Golden Syrup.....35 @40  
Sorghum, fancy new.....@35  
SUGAR—Yellow, #10.....@15  
Extra C, #10.....@15  
A, #10.....@15  
Granulated, #10.....@15  
Powdered, #10.....@15  
New Orleans, #10.....@15  
TEAS—#10.....50 @1 00  
COAL OIL—Headlight, #1 gallon.....15  
HACON—Breakfast, #10.....11 @  
Clearsides, #10.....7 @8  
Hams, #10.....@12  
Shoulders, #10.....8 @  
REANS—#1 gallon.....20 @  
BUTTER—#10.....12 @15  
CHICKENS—Each.....25 @30  
EGGS—dozen.....@15  
FLOUR—Limestone, #1 barrel.....\$1 50  
Old Gold, #1 barrel.....4 50  
Maysville Fancy, #1 barrel.....4 00  
Mason County, #1 barrel.....4 25  
Morning Glory, #1 barrel.....4 25  
Roller King, #1 barrel.....4 75  
Magnolia, #1 barrel.....4 50  
Blue Grass, #1 barrel.....3 75  
Graham, #1 sack.....@15  
ONIONS—#1 peck.....25  
POTATOES—#1 peck, new.....10  
HONEY—#10.....12 @15  
ROMNEY—#10.....@15  
MEAL—#1 peck.....15  
LARD—#1 pound.....@8

Mr. D. F. FRAZER still has faith in the future of Middlesborough and contemplates building some handsome residences there.

## TOWBOAT BLOWN UP

Harry Brown Sunk Twenty-Five Miles Below Vicksburg.

### ELEVEN KNOWN TO BE LOST.

Six Others Injured, Several of Them Seriously—The Boat Was a Complete Wreck and Sank in Less Than Five Minutes. Names of Those Known to Be Lost and the Injured.

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 12.—One of the most terrible river disasters of recent years occurred Sunday night about 25 miles below this city. The towboat Harry Brown of Pittsburg, upward bound from New Orleans, exploded her boilers at 11 o'clock. The boat was a complete wreck and sank in less than five minutes. Eleven lives are known to be lost, as follows:

Norman Dravo, pilot.  
G. W. Bardsley, steersman.  
William Dougherty, chief engineer.  
Miss Annie Hess, chambermaid.  
Tom Judge, fireman.  
William Wilson, fireman.  
William Fitzmorris, first mate.  
Pat Carniff, second mate.  
William Kelley, lamp trimmer.  
Frank Adrain of Cincinnati and John Wagner of Louisville are missing and are supposed to have drowned.

The survivors and also the wounded were brought to this city on the Honshell. Six of the officers and crew of the Brown are in the marine ward of the Vicksburg hospital as follows:

Captain John Kime, hip seriously injured.  
William Grimme, carpenter, leg broken.  
John Hardy, fireman, badly scalded and otherwise seriously injured.  
Dennis J. Lomey, second engineer, badly scalded and internally injured; will probably die.

Two deckhands, names unknown.

Pilot Dravo, who was lost, was of Pittsburg, and was a most excellent man, whose death will be greatly regretted.

The bodies of the three dead men who were brought here are at Fischer's undertaking establishment, and have been embalmed and will be sent to their homes.

The towboat Honshell was so near the scene when the explosion occurred that her yaws were lowered at once and were promptly manned and saved many lives that would have been lost if it had not been for their prompt service.

Captain Kime, the master of the Brown, although seriously injured, remained on the after part of the cabin roof of the Brown, where he had been blown by the explosion. He was seen yesterday by a reporter, and said:

"The afterpart of the cabin floated off from the hull, and it sank to the bottom of the river, I directed the efforts of the men who were at work rescuing the boat's crew.

"Myself and Pilot Dan Kane were in the Brown's pilothouse when the explosion occurred. It would be impossible for any one to tell how many of the seven boilers exploded, as the darkness prevented any one seeing anything. It seemed that the hull went down in less than a minute. I have no blame to attach to any one, as the cause of the explosion will never be known, as the chief engineer, William Dougherty, who was on watch, was lost."

The officers and boat's crew speak in the most grateful praise of the officers and crew of the steamer St. Joseph, who contributed clothing and other substantial.

Captain Kime expects to send the crew of the Brown to their homes by rail as soon as he receives instructions from Pittsburg.

## THE TRIUMPH OF LOVE

"HAPPY, FRUITFUL MARRIAGE."

Every Man Who Would Know the Grand Truths, the Plain Facts, the New Discoveries of Medical Science as Applied to Married Life, Who Would Atone for Past Errors and Avoid Future Pitfalls, Should Secure the Wonderful Little Book Called "Complete Manhood, and How to Attain It."

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A despairing man, who had applied to us, soon after wrote:

"Well, I tell you that first day is one I'll never forget. I just bubbled with joy. I wanted to hug everybody and tell them my old self had died yesterday, and my new self was born to-day. Why didn't you tell me when I first wrote that I would find it this way?"

And another thus:

"If you dumped a cart load of gold at my feet it would not bring such gladness into my life as your method has done."

Write to the ERIC MEDICAL COMPANY, 222 E. 11th St., New York, N. Y., and ask for the little book called "COMPLETE MANHOOD." Refer to this paper, and the company promises to send a book, in sealed envelope, without any charge, and entirely free, until it is well introduced to this office.

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## Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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#### ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

As administrator of Alexander Enoch, deceased, I will offer for sale on the premises the following described property, at 2 o'clock p. m., on SATURDAY, May 16, 1896: One house and lot, with Blacksmith shop, Stable and all necessary outbuildings, in Lewisburg, Mason County, Ky., one of the best stands for a good smith in the county. Also two other lots adjoining the above property. Terms made known on day of sale.

JAMES E. CARHILL,  
cofid Administrator of Alexander Enoch's.

#### WANTED.

WANTED—To loan on improved real estate \$1,000 for 5½ years at guaranteed net cost of only \$310, or for 10 years at \$495, and other sums in proportion. A. E. COLE & SON.

WANTED—Three white girls. Apply at this office.

#### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Brussels stair carpet. Apply to MRS. JOHNNIE WELLS, 25 East Second street.

FOR SALE—Any teacher wishing to purchase a "skinner's Folk-lore" can get one nearly new cheap by calling at HILL HOUSE, room 16.

FOR SALE—Guaranteed 8 per cent. bonds, running 10 years or less; coupons payable semi-annually at First National Bank of Maysville, Ky. A. E. COLE & SON.

FOR SALE—House and four lots at a bargain. Easy terms. Apply to FRANK DEVINE, agent.

#### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The two-story residence in the "Brick Row," West Second street. A convenient and comfortable home. Apply to JAMES E. CUTLEN, No. 123½ Market street, East side.

FOR RENT—The desirable frame dwelling on Third and Fourth, now occupied by E. H. Bluzel. Possession given on 1st. Apply to C. M. PHISTEER.

FOR RENT—Frame cottage on Fourth street known as the "Corral House," eight rooms and cellar. Apply to J. G. WADSWORTH, agent.

#### LOST.

LOST—About 7:30 p. m. Sunday, between Wall street and Episcopal Church on Third, a pair of gold spectacles. Return to this office. 4-4f

LOST—About a week ago, a gold medal with the name "Amanda B. Bramel, Maysville, Ky.," on one side. The finder will please return it to this office.

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## Fruit, Fruit.

The Fruit season of 1896 is close at hand and I have perfected arrangements with some of the largest and most successful Fruit growers of the Ohio River hills to handle their entire crop of

Strawberries,  
Raspberries,  
Blackberries,  
Peaches, Etc.

This fruit is grown on the elevated lands, principally in Lewis County, by growers of long experience, and will be much superior to any grown on the low or flat lands. It will be received by express and placed on the market here on the same day it is gathered, and will be furnished to dealers and consumers in first-class condition. Special prices always given to dealers, so as to enable them to sell at same prices I sell to consumers and make fair profits.

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A special invitation is extended country people to make my house their headquarters when in our city.

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## NOTICE!

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
Maysville, Ky., May 1, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the Supervisors of Taxes for the city of Maysville will meet at the Council Chamber on

Thursday, May 14th,

For the purpose of examining and correcting the Assessor's list for the year 1896.

C. E. BROSE, City Clerk.

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